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Promoter of the Bill for Erecting a  
Court of Conscience for the Tow-  
er Hamblets, comprehended with-  
in the weekly Bills, of Morta-  
lity, &c.

**T**Hat Mr *John Caine*, ancient Inhabitant, and yet living within the *Tower Hamblets*, for nigh fourteen years last past, hath concerned himself in endeavouring to obtain an Act of *Parliament*, for Erecting a *Court of Conscience*, for the above-mentioned *Tower Hamblets*; and hath been at great Pains and Charge, and often, and manifold attendences, Soliciting for the passing a Bill, for the said *Court of Conscience* in the several preceeding *Parliaments*, but by the sudden Adjournments, Prorogations and Dissolutions of the said *Parliaments*, his endeavours missed of desired effect, to the Damage of the said Undertaker, who now upon a fresh encouragement, and the Request of several of the Inhabitants, of the aforesaid *Tower Hamblets*, the matter is brought to such an Issue.

That the Bill lying before the House of *Parliament*, likely to pass into an Act, there being several Persons unknown, to the Undertaker, Petitioning and making their Application, to have thir names inserted, as Clerk and Register of the *Tower Hamblets*, although they have not been at one Penny expence, nor taken the least Pains in the management of it, &c.

The Undertaker doth humbly refer himself, to the Honour and Justice of this Honourable House, and hopes and prays, as a recompence, of his Trouble and Charge, and as an Incouragement for the future to others, to undertake things of the like nature for a publick good, that he may obtain the name of *Evan Christian*, Barrester at Law, his Son in Law, to be incerted in the *Tower Division*, as Register and Clerk, he being a person of unquestionable Honesty and Integrity, and also sufficiently quallified for the said Office.